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Each document listed in this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from the United States Patent Office in a counterpart PCT application, and this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the mailing date of that communication.

1. U.S. Patent No. 4,311,682 issued January 19, 1982, to Miyazaki, et al.
2. U.S. Patent No. 4,818,449 issued April 4, 1989, to Yamada, et al.
3. U.S. Patent No. 5,187,129 issued February 16, 1993, to Edler, et al.
4. U.S. Patent No. 5,413,738 issued May 9, 1995, to Lewis, et al.
5. U.S. Patent No. 6,395,220 issued May 28, 2002, to Lewis, et al.

Copies of the listed documents are attached.

Applicant respectfully requests that these references be considered by the Examiner and made of record as part of the "available prior art" under 37 C.F.R. §1.104.

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